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IN RE: U.S.S.S. 09/458,998 )  
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FILED: December 10, 1999 )  
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TITLE: EIA FOR MONITORING )  
LEGIONELLA )  
PNEUMOPHILA )  
PRESENCE IN WATER )  
SAMPLES )  
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GROUP ART UNIT: 1643

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO  
FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
APPLICATION

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
MAILED FEBRUARY 13, 2001

AMENDMENTS

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

a1 In line 1 after "immunoassay" please insert ("EIA")--

a2 In line 2 thereof, please change "L" to Legionella--

REMARKS

A. Drawings

The objections to the drawings have been noted. It is respectfully requested that the requirement for correction, which entails the submission of a new drawing, be held in abeyance pending the acknowledgment of allowable subject matter in the application.

B. Abstract

The assertion that the application does not contain an abstract of the disclosure is